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## A REVIEW OF THE POULTRY OUTLOOK IN SCURRY COUNTY

Having been over the county and seen what the poultry men are doing and their progress it might be interesting to know the present prospects for a real poultry show this fall. I have never seen the quality and quantity so strong. Everybody seems to have considerable encouragement to look forward to the coming show. Most people have some nice early chicks that are going to be real contenders for the blue. Seems that they have not had very much trouble in raising their chicks this year, and there is no excuse for we Scurry County poultry men to let non-residents take off the blue if we will just continue to take care of our early chicks and see them through the molt in excellent condition. Crop and marketing conditions are also looking better. The turkey crop will not be quite as large as last year but still there are numbers who have from 100 to 500 hatched and I think they are lucky birds this year. I think we should all meet and make plans for our show for we are going to have the greatest show in Snyder we have ever had and if some of you other fellows won't take the cup from Mr. Green, I will.

A Poultryman.

### RURAL SCHOOL PAPERS

The Division of Rural Education has received a file of the Educational Helper, a monthly periodical issued from the county superintendent's office of Otter Trail County, Minnesota. This paper is "the official medium of communication between the county superintendent and the teachers and school officers of the county." It is a fine looking paper of excellent type and form, both interesting and helpful to any one concerned as parent, patron, or official with the county school system. Children, as well as teachers and other school officers, contribute to its pages. It contains such items as the following: Official notices of school events for the month, such as school officers' meeting, examination notices, summer school and reading circle announcements, and the like; article by a contributor on the cost of slacks in schools; articles on school buildings, including illustrations of designs and floor plans; a special column of contributions by children in the different schools. Titles of some of these contributions are: "What an Education Means to Me," "The Crow." There are also letters from children to the superintendent. All in all, the Educational Helper seems to be a delightful contribution to the promotion of school interest in the country. It is another progressive accomplishment toward eradicating the disappearing isolation of country children and country schools; another way to build solidarity in a county school system which more county superintendents may well emulate. Progress in rural education is marked by the increasing number of counties which year by year adopt some such progressive method of promoting professional growth among teachers and educational interest among children and patrons.

### JUNE DAYS THE VACATION SEASON

June days, spring fever and the wanderlust go hand in hand and between ten and twelve million auto owners are tinkering with their cars, getting them in shape for summer trips to cure their restlessness and longing for new scenes.

Cars that have gone through the winter are in the shop for overhauling and painting. Cars that were laid up for the winter are being put in shape for the summer season.

"That is as it should be," says Mr. King, local Willard Storage Battery Dealer. "But while giving the rest of the car a thorough going over, many motorists forget about the battery, hidden away underneath the floor boards or seat.

"The storage battery is the most neglected thing in the average motorist's car," Mr. King says. "Out of sight, out of mind, must have first been said about a storage battery. Motorists who are wise will have their battery examined before starting out on that fishing trip or vacation tour," he says.

Mr. King says his battery station is prepared to care for all battery needs from a new one to fit any car and any pocketbook down to a filling with water for those who need nothing else.

Mrs. W. T. Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Irvine spent Sunday in Dermott visiting with their friend, Mrs. J. W. Russell.

### Dr. Scarbrough Improving in California

A message received in Snyder Wednesday was to the effect that Dr. Scarbrough was very much improved from the accident of last week when he was run over by an automobile. The message stated that he was leaving the hospital and was out of all danger.

Dr. Scarbrough is planning to return to Snyder and has been delayed on account of the accident. He is expected just as soon as he is able to travel. The many friends of Dr. Scarbrough will be glad to learn of the happy turn the sad accident has taken and trust to see him home in a short time, enjoying his usual splendid health.

### UNIVERSITY GIRLS PASS RED CROSS SAVING TEST

Six university girls passed the Red Cross life saving tests yesterday. These tests were begun a week ago by Captain Law, who was here from Red Cross headquarters at St. Louis, and finished by Thisba Worley, physical training instructor. Captain Law remembered Miss Worley for having saved the lives of three girls at the girl reserve camp in Beaumont last summer, and chose her for that reason to finish the tests.

The girls completing the tests, most of them members of the Turtles and Turtlette clubs, were Catherine Allbright, Elizabeth Baldwin, Edwina Barnes, Marion Briggs, Gene Holland and Jean Parsley.

The tests included work in surfacing, approaches, front, back and under water, head carry, cross-chest carry, arm-lock carry, tired-swimmers' carry, resuscitation, one-minute float, a quiz and an essay on life saving.

Girls completing the tests were awarded a Red Cross emblem and a life saving certificate. — Austin Statesman.

Note—Students are required to maintain a certain scholastic standard in the university in order to receive official honors in the women's Athletic Council.

### FLUVANNA METHODIST

Our Sunday School is increasing in numbers and interest.

On last Sunday the house was well filled at the hour for preaching.

After the devotional services Sister Moores gave a reading, "Administrator to the Living," which was enjoyed by all present.

Bro. Moores' text was "Elijah—Man of Prayer," James 5:17. His subject was Prayer.

Bro. Moores gave us one of the greatest sermons on prayer we have ever listened to. He showed us that through prayer we can share His divine plans. Some may say "He said nothing new." But it was a fresh presentation of familiar facts. He thrilled the audience with a new appreciation of what they had been in danger of forgetting or ignoring.

At the close of the service Bro. and Sister Moores played and sang "Jesus, Blessed Jesus."

There was a large crowd at the evening service. Bro. Moores' text was Psalm 21:4. From this he preached a very interesting and forceful sermon. At the close he and his wife sang "As the Life of a Flower."

Bro. and Sister Moores leave next week. Bro. Moores goes to the summer school of theology at Dallas. Sister Moores is going to visit relatives. We are glad they are going. We know it will be a help to them, but they will be missed, not only by the church and Sunday School, but by the community as a whole.

Bro. Moores said he would try and have some one to fill the pulpit during his absence. Announcement will be made later.

Don't forget the date set for our revival to begin—first Sunday in August.

Church Reporter.

### TO THE PEOPLE OF SNYDER

We wish to extend to your our sincere thanks for your liberal assistance in the erection of our new church house which is now ready to enter, and for your promptness in paying your subscriptions to same, and above all do we appreciate the many kind words of encouragement and commendation. We extend to you all a hearty welcome to all our services held in this house.

East Side Church of Christ.  
By R. C. Huggins  
W. H. Clements.

### Important Land Case Is On Trial Here This Week

A civil suit involving the title to the old O—O ranch in Kent county has been on trial here this week. The style of the suit is Tom Ditto vs. W. L. Saye and W. B. Fitzhugh, trespass to try title, foreclosure and partition of property. Plaintiff is represented by McCart, Curtis & McCart of Fort Worth and C. F. Sentell of Snyder. The defense attorneys are Stone & Mansell of Dallas and Smith & Harris of Snyder.

The case is being tried before a jury. It went to trial Monday morning and has been occupying the entire attention of the court. The case is being discussed before the jury by the attorneys this morning. There are involved in this suit many thousands of acres, comprising one of the old time ranches of West Texas. Many thousands of dollars are involved also in the litigation.

### ON TO HIGH SCHOOL THROUGH DIFFICULTIES

May and June are red-letter months for thousands of farm boys and girls because they have received diplomas entitling them to enter high school. These have usually been presented by county or town superintendents, in the presence of parents and schoolmates, at appropriate exercises held in honor of the occasion. The slogan has probably been: "On to high school."

Whether many of these boys and girls do go on to high school next September depends very largely upon the attitude of their parents towards education and their ability to solve difficulties. If there is no high school within walking distance of home and no train or bus service some way will need to be devised of overcoming the obstacle of distance between home and school. If there is a high school within reasonable driving distance the solution is easy—the family can furnish its own transportation. If there is no high school within driving distance the child must either be boarded in town or the family must move to town. If the family income is small there must be considerable sacrifice on the part of both parents and children. But if there is a will, there is usually a way. Many a country boy and girl has exchanged domestic service for board and room while attending high school. Chambers of commerce, rotary clubs, Y. W. C. A.'s, and other civic and religious organizations are glad to help worthy boys and girls find a job.

Parents who fail to provide an opportunity for their children to secure a high school education handicap them in the race of life. Within the last two years the high school attendance in this country has been increasing at the rate of 200,000 a year. Between 1910 and 1920 its increase was 100,000 a year. Boys and girls of the present day will come in contact with more educated people than did their parents. They need, at least, a high school education in order to compete with the generation in which they are to live.

### COFFEE AND FLOUR DEMONSTRATION

Mr. H. Z. Hart of Fort Worth, representing the Chase and Sanbourn Coffee, and Mrs. Hart, representing Swansdown Cake Flour, were here Tuesday and Wednesday at F. T. Wilhelm's store, where they demonstrated the merits of their products and served the many customers who called during both days to a most delicious cup of coffee and angel food cake which proved to the many who partook of these nice eats of their delicious and superior flavor. Mrs. Hart also demonstrated the ready prepared Swansdown cake flour which only needs water to mix to make an excellent angel food cake. Mr. and Mrs. Hart made many friends during their two days' stay in our city by their courteous and hearty welcome extended every patron who called during their two days' demonstration.

### BIRTHS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. James Lapour, living at Dunn, May 26th, a boy.

C. F. Reeder, living near Ira, May 28th, a boy, named William McKinley.

W. T. House, June 1st, a girl. James Nelson Dunn, May 21st, a boy, named James Charlie Dunn. James Curtis Ramey, May 21st, a girl, named Fern La Nell.

**NOTICE TO AUTO SPEEDERS**  
Notice is hereby given that speeding must stop in the city limits of Snyder. I will prosecute all those who are caught driving at an unlawful and reckless speed.  
J. E. CHINN,  
City Marshal.

### Revival Meeting Starts at The Methodist Church

The revival meeting at the Methodist church started last Sunday, Rev. C. B. Meador, of Abilene, in charge, and Rev. J. C. Mann, B. A., of Vera, Texas, is conducting the choir. The revival team is referred to as Jeff and Mutt, the short and long of the men. They are said to be the shortest preacher and longest singer ever seen in this country.

The religious people of Snyder are invited to co-operate in the meeting. Services are being held twice a day, 10 A. M. and 8:15 P. M. Brother Meador is a forcible speaker and is doing some splendid work. Mr. Mann is an accomplished musician, and a song leader of merit. Go out and hear Brother Meador and enjoy the singing and preaching of these revivalists.

### Facial and Beauty Demonstration at Grayum's

Mrs. W. P. Harper, of Boston, Mass., a trained beauty specialist, representing the United Drug Company, in the introduction of the Cora Nome line of creams and powders, now entering Texas through the Rexall stores, is filling an engagement at Grayum Drug Company this week. At the end of the week Mrs. Harper will have filled appointments with 90 women in Snyder. She has filled these appointments in a private booth at the Grayum Drug Company's store.

On the notes handed us the senior editor of the Times is invited to say what he pleases about this work, which he will proceed to do. In the first place we will say that Mrs. Harper certainly knows her work thoroughly when it comes to making new faces for our women. We speak not adversely but from one who has seen the results. Our society editor, who is no other than the wife of the editor and ordinarily the best looking woman in town, visited this artist at an appointed hour and the results were most gratifying. We judge that similar experiences have resulted with other ladies who have visited the beauty experts with the same strong testimonials coming from husbands herein given. Of all the modern necessities the beauty parlor is the most desired and needed in our communities. There is timely and an ever increasing demand for the services of those who know how to make over our women's faces. The work is certainly a necessity and the husband that fails to approve and recognize the beneficial results from this line of work is indeed blind to the need of beauty experts. Our men go to the barber shops for their beauty work in massages and shampoos, why not a custom for our women to visit beauty parlors for the same purpose.

The Cora Nome line of Creams and powders that are being introduced in Texas are of the very highest quality, and the United Drug Company is to be congratulated in associating with them a lady of Mrs. Harper's well known ability in her line of work.

### AUTOMOBILE SALES INCREASE IN SOUTH AFRICA

Every year South Africa is becoming a greater field for the automobile business, according to Arthur Williams of the General Motors Export Company, in a statement made last week while visiting the Olds Motor Works, one of the big divisions of the General Motors Corporation. Mr. Williams has been actively associated with the sales end of the automobile business for the past 14 years, the last 8 years as Manager of the South African branch of the General Motors Export Company, whose headquarters are in New York City.

Erection of dams and the building of irrigation systems have greatly broadened the trade field of South Africa during the past few years, he said. The raising of citrus fruits and cotton and the rapid development of the sugar industry have added greatly to the business of the country. These new activities have resulted in an increase in population and considerable road building. The greatest need of the country at the present time is additional capital to develop its many resources.

### W. B. DANE CLOSING OUT FEED STORE

Mr. W. B. Dane has closed out his feed business and will retire from business. The remainder of his stock has been taken over by Jones & Herm. W. M. Crowder will open a meat market July 1st in the same building.

### PROF. I. C. BAGWELL LEAVES FOR HIS EASTERN VACATION

#### TEXAS BAPTIST SUNDAY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENTS MEET AT WACO

Waco Baptist Sunday School workers are perfecting elaborate arrangements for the entertainment of the Baptist Sunday School Superintendents of Texas in their Fifth Annual Convention which will be held at Baylor University in that city, June 15th to 18th. This gathering also includes all other general and department officers of the modern graded departmental Sunday School. Many new and attractive features have been added to the program which will include addresses, general and departmental conferences. Mr. Arthur Flake, of Nashville, Tenn., Secretary of the Department of Sunday School Administration of the Baptist S. S. Board, also Miss Lillian Forbes, Southwest Elementary S. S. Secretary, Miss Mary Virginia Lee, Intermediate Specialist of the Baptist S. S. Board; Mr. Harry L. Strickland, Secretary of the Organized Bible Classes of Southern Baptists, and Miss Emma Noland, a specialist in Sunday School Record Systems, all of Nashville, Tennessee, will be present and deliver addresses and conduct conferences.

Every phase of the administrative side of the modern Sunday School will be exhaustively dealt with. The music of this convention is to be directed by Mr. Robert H. Coleman, Superintendent of the First Baptist Sunday School of Dallas. Superintendents of Sunday Schools from every section of Texas will take part on the program. Entertainment of all visiting superintendents and other workers attending this Convention, has been arranged for in Brooks Hall at Baylor University. Mr. Chas. O. Cook of Waco is the general chairman of the local committee on arrangements. The sessions of this Convention on Sunday the opening day will be held with Tabernacle and Columbus Street Baptist Churches in Waco.

Fully five hundred Sunday School Superintendents and other officers of the Sunday School are expected to attend. Reduced rates over all railroads in Texas have been secured on the "Certificate Receipt" plan. The idea of a Sunday School Superintendents Convention originated in Texas and has since been adopted by many other States of the South.

#### RADIO TALKS TO FARMERS

Radio broadcasting stations in some states are sending out on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings of each week, tabloid talks on agriculture, the last word of the scientist and the scientific farmer expressed in crisp and interesting form.

When it is considered that with proper methods of agriculture and with proper preparation of the soil, the revenue from farms might be doubled, the value of the movement is quite apparent. Agents of experiment stations preaching this doctrine of scientific agriculture are making much headway, but the dissemination of such knowledge requires ceaseless effort and constant pounding. The tabloid talks by radio thus come to the assistance of the county agents and the farmer.

The radio station will present these facts not only to the farmer, but to the boys and girls on the farm. It will aim to make the farmer appreciate to the fullest extent his investment in his acres.

#### A WORLD ACCOMPLISHMENT

The fact that the foreign governments interested in the reparations question, including Germany, have accepted the Dawes report as the basis for final settlement, is the greatest step toward better world conditions that has been made since the signing of the Armistice.

The United States should be proud that three American business men could evolve this plan in a few short months.

The honor of consummating such a program for the benefit of humanity falls to the lot of but few men.

#### THE AS YOU LIKE IT CLUB

The As You Like It Club met Wednesday afternoon in regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Claude Sims.

A business meeting was held. Plans for summer were discussed. Also it was decided to have a picnic as soon as possible.

A delightful social hour was enjoyed and the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Frank Darby, served dainty refreshments to club members and guest, Mrs. Prichard, of Canyon.

Reporter.

Prof. I. C. Bagwell, superintendent of our schools, accompanied by Mrs. Bagwell, will leave tomorrow for a trip east where he will spend his vacation. Before leaving he bought through King & Brown, local dealers, a new Dodge business man's sedan to be delivered to him at Detroit, Michigan, next week. He and wife will proceed direct to Detroit, where they will get their new Dodge car, and from there will go to Washington, D. C., to attend the National Educational Association. From Washington they will drive to New York where Prof. Bagwell will attend the National Democratic Convention as delegate at large from Texas. After the convention their summer vacation trip will start in earnest. They will return to Texas through Vermont, Maine and other Eastern states, and will visit the Mammoth Cave in Kentucky. They will be gone several weeks during the summer, sightseeing and enjoying their outing in one of the most dependable cars money can buy, that of Dodge Bros. Prof. Bagwell has been re-elected to the superintendency of the public schools of Snyder for the next two years. So satisfactory has been Prof. and Mrs. Bagwell in their school work in Snyder that a general call went out for them to return to this work. The school in Snyder under their supervision has been most successful resulting in one of the most harmonious school terms in the history of educational work in Snyder.

#### "FREE TRADE" GREAT BRITAIN

After Congress gets through with oil, the bonus and the tax question, in all likelihood it will turn its attention to the tariff to drum up a further campaign issue.

It is a regrettable fact that for years the American tariff question has been considered more from a political angle than for the purpose of protecting American workmen and industries. The average "man on the street," and public official for that matter, believes that England is a free trade country and that America is a hideous example of a tariff burdened people. Resting upon this belief, the people vote in accordance with their understanding and not in accordance with the facts.

Without arguing for or against a tariff, it is essential that everybody should know that as a matter of fact, the per capita customs collected in England have never in recent history been less than the customs duties collected in America.

When somebody talks about tariff in this country and its burden to working men compared with "free trade" Great Britain, the following figures taken from the records should be borne in mind:

In the United States, the annual customs per capita average for 1920-21 and -22 were \$2.85. In "free trade" Great Britain and Ireland, the customs per capita for the same period averaged \$13.87. These are facts, not political hot air.

A reasonable tariff which will in any degree protect the factory worker from competition with foreign cheap labor of course gives the worker a certain number of days or weeks employment which he would not otherwise have, and at a higher wage. Consideration of such protection is a business proposition and not a political issue.

#### CANYON NORMAL GETS COACH

CANYON, Texas, May 29.—Oscar Eckhardt, star on the 1923 football team of the University of Texas, a member of Waco's Camp's All-American football team for 1923, has been employed to assist Coach S. D. Burton of the West Texas State Teachers College for the coming year. Eckhardt will coach the backfield in football and will have charge of the baseball team of the Teachers College next year. Eckhardt is one of the best known athletes in the state of Texas and is at present a pitcher for the Longhorn team. Coach Burton has been further strengthened by the employment of A. R. Jackson, graduate of the University of Oklahoma, who will assist in the direction of athletics and will have full charge of the wrestling teams.

Burton reports that all of the most valuable men who are on the Buffalo string will return for the football season that is ahead. The team is hoping to carry off first honors in the T. I. A. A. next season.

Miss Elizabeth Hays returned Tuesday from the Lubbock sanitarium where she recently underwent an operation. Miss Hays is doing nicely and her friends will be glad to know that she will soon be entirely recovered.

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We have had a number of lectures here the past week by men of more or less national reputation. Their subjects have had more or less to do with the present social and political conditions of the country. In nearly every case the statement was made that we must look to the future generation for relief; that the hope of America rests with the boys and girls of today. In a sense the statements of these lecturers were right, but there are responsibilities resting on the present generation also, and that cannot be escaped. The present generation has more to do with finding a solution for the present ills of society than the future men and women of this nation. From the way the nation is drifting the country will reach a crisis long before the present generation reaches their majorities. The solution then lies mainly with the men and women of today and not with the men and women of tomorrow. This generation can not escape the responsibilities resting upon them. There is no need of trying to shirk these responsibilities. They must be met by the men and women of today. There will be other problems to confront the boys and girls when they become men and women, but the problems of today belong to us. If the present generation does not meet these weighty issues America will retrograde so far that it will be impossible for the next generation to save the situation.

Every lecturer in our Chautauqua emphasized the fact that America was facing a grave crisis and to fail or refuse to recognize the situation was to trifle with civilization. Such is true, and the sooner the American people realize the situation and endeavor to meet these issues and find a solution for the ills of society the better will the situation become. No generation can escape its responsibilities no more than can an individual. The manner in which nations and individuals in every generation meet their responsibilities of the age in which they live will make it easier or harder for the next.

It has been suggested that one of the prevailing causes for so many divorces is Van Camp's Pork and Beans. In other words, there are too many women feeding their families out of tin cans. With every marriage license these days there goes with it a good can-opener. This situation is brought about by taking women out of the home and putting her in politics and in the field of commercialism. We need more cooks in the home and fewer can-openers is borne out by the increase of domestic misunderstanding among men and women.

Chancellor Bradford, the Chautauqua lecturer, in his return engagement, suggests the establishment at Washington of an International Peace College, a college where the young men of the nations of the world can be brought together to study the problems of the future. The idea is to foster friendship and a better understanding among nations. The Peace College is offered as a solution to prevent future wars and to establish universal peace on earth. The suggestion was made that if we could bring several thousand young men and women together for a two years college course in international issues and form college friendships these young men would go back to their nations with strong personal friendships and a better understanding of their neighbors. He says that it would be far cheaper to maintain a college of this kind than to promote wars. The idea is good and would prove a big step, towards bringing about world peace.

The lower courts at Houston have denied James E. Ferguson a place on the primary ballot, and the matter has been taken to the supreme court. Monday was the last day for candidates to file and the Supreme Court will not act on the application until the latter part of this week. In the meantime Mr. Ferguson files his wife's name and will make the race, provided he loses in the courts, by proxy. The Ferguson muddle continues from year to year and from election to election. We are glad to see the matter of his impeachment and right to hold office taken into the courts for a final decision. The matter ought to be finally settled one way or the other, and if the courts hold that he was legally impeached and can not hold office in Texas this ought to settle the matter and the Democratic Executive Committee can be governed accordingly.

The President of the Women's Temperance Union of Texas went to the State Democratic Convention at Waco last week, and was endorsed by her organization for delegate at large to the National Convention. She was rejected and on her return to her home at Austin she gives an interview to the press, charging that the real prohibitionists of Texas were snubbed in the delegate honors. She further says that she is going to stump Texas and expose those who composed the Democratic Convention at Waco. The comment we wish to offer is this: It is rather an inquiry—we wonder if this good lady has a husband and if so does not his requirements demand three hot meals a day. We wonder if this good woman has daughters in their teens, who need their mother's counsel, and her influence to guide them along life's pathway. In other words we think this good woman, along with all other good women, should remain in the home and leave politics to the men. We talk about the American people going to the dogs, and we see our women on the political stump, in political conventions, in the commercial world and in every activity of man, to the neglect of the home. It is not the State that our women must save, but the home. The home is calling her today as never before in the history of America, and she can not do justice to the home and engage in man's activities. The question of saving America is the foremost question in the minds of thinking men and women, and a solution for society's ills is being sought. We hear lecturers that come among us speak of the future generation and their part in the world's salvation. They do not stress the part of men and women of today are to play. From the way America is going the world will be lost long before the present generation comes on the stage of action. The writer has long since come to the viewpoint that we made a fatal mistake in America when we gave women the ballot and took them further out of the home. There is only a small percentage of American women at present in politics, but their influence on the balance of womanhood is such that the numbers engaging in politics will grow from year to year, thereby going further and further away from home keeping and home building. If the Austin lady in question stumps Texas for her political rights we may see other women do the same thing. If all women are to get into politics as strongly as they are in commercial activities we will see a further drifting away from the home. When all our women enter politics and business who will be left to keep the home? Who is going to keep the home in America? God Almighty ordained that women should keep the home and man should provide for the home. Are we to completely reverse God's order? When suggestions like these are offered we are called old fogies, and told to go back and take a seat. Then we hear the hue and cry against the way the young people are living, against the way society is drifting and the downward tendency of civilization in general. We must face the issues squarely and endeavor to find the real cause and

**THE SPEED MANIC**

The country is possessed with a bunch of speed maniacs that are endangering life and limb. We were parked on the curb last Saturday, afternoon when a car came onto the square driven by a young sprout that had his throttle wide open. The streets were crowded with cars and traffic was difficult. Seeing that he was going to wreck a car that had just backed out into the street he wheeled into the curb and hit our car in the rear. Our wife was setting in the car and she was violently thrown forward and received some minor injuries. Some damage was done to our car also. Now we wish to say that a man or boy that has no more sense than to drive a car on the public square of any town when same is crowded with traffic at a speed that prevents him from controlling same is as dangerous as a manic running at large. Any one that drives at reckless speed on public thorough fares should be barred from driving cars at all. There is a lack of proper observance of traffic laws in Snyder and if the custom continues some one will be crippled or killed. People should be compelled to respect the lives of others if not in one way or another.

**HOCKLEY COUNTY NEWS**

Beer with a "kick" is not what the laboring man is after, says Mr. Gompers, "but beer that has warmth and is palatable, drinkable and will make part of a meal." But the trouble is, it is impossible to secure all that with but an accompanying "kick".

Samuel Gompers presumes to speak for the laboring man, but it is our opinion that the well educated laboring man does not want to see the country return to the liquor traffic. All this hue and cry for light wines and beer comes from that class of our citizenship that were never really temperate in mind and appetites. The American people will never consent to return to the open saloon. Those who are violating the prohibition laws are doing so for the purpose of discrediting the Constitution of the United States in hopes that the people will become disgusted with the Volstead act and demand its repeal. The power behind prohibition violations in this country is the organized liquor interest. The American government prepared public sentiment for American's entrance into the war by a system of propagand and education, so the liquor crowd is endeavoring to return the open saloon to America by propagand of criticism and prohibition violations.

apply a remedy that will bring results. The responsibility is resting upon this generation. It cannot be shifted to the shoulders of the next. The remedy as it appears to us is that we must return the women to the home and re-establish home discipline and knit home ties more closely together. If we have made a mistake in taking women out of the home and placing her in other environments we must remedy these mistakes as quickly as possible.

At the Eastern summer resorts the girls have discarded stockings, and are appearing with unclad ankles. While we expect an explosion from a certain Scurry county editor, we want to hasten to endorse this new style. It is sensible, healthful and comfortable, and when it becomes customary will attract no attention. —Plainview News.

We are not surprised to see the unqualified endorsement of the naked ankle habit by our Plains friend. Jess persists in turning women loose in Texas, and fewer clothes the better according to Plains editor's standard. We fail to see the reasonableness of Jess' argument as to health invited in naked ankles. The only possible results would be to require more frequent airing and washing of the feet. But what can we do to turn the women back to the dress and customs of their mothers when such writers as Jess, Adams are telling them to go right along and adopt more extremes and fewer clothes regardless of our efforts to turn the tide back to normal living.

Read Times-Signal ads. It pays.

**Health Brings Beauty**

Roanoke, Texas—"I was ill for weeks, not able to do my work. I had feminine trouble of a serious nature. At evening I would have high fever and my back and head would ache day and night. The doctor wanted to give me treatments, but my druggist advised my husband to try Pierce's Favorite Prescription. Before I had taken the first bottle I felt so much better I bought another, and before I was thru taking that I was well."—Mrs. R. E. Cunningham, Route 1.

All medicine dealers. Tablets or liquid. No harmful ingredients.

**WRIGLEYS**  
After Every Meal

It's the longest-lasting confection you can buy—and it's a help to digestion and a cleanser for the mouth and teeth.

Wrigley's means benefit as well as pleasure.

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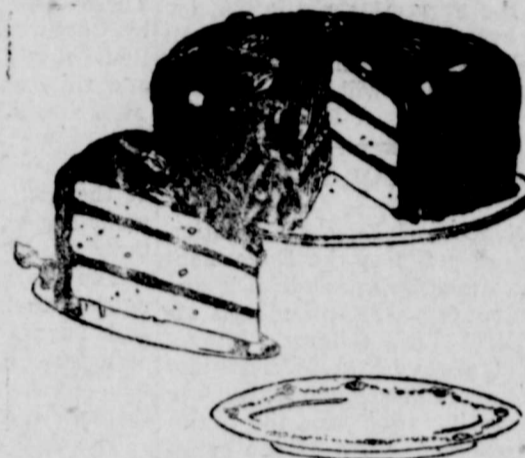
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Neff declines to be president of the university. He declines to be a delegate of the Democrats. He has something in view that he wants but he won't take anything that is handed to him it seems. — Quannah Tribune-Chief.

We admire Neff's attitude in both instances. In the Waco incident Governor Neff refuses to stultify himself by accepting favors from those he has opposed, and also to be a party to carrying out a set of instructions he is opposed to. Governor Neff is an independent democrat. The writer claims also independence and liberty of conscience in all matters of principles. The reverse was noted in the action of Tom Love, the political boss of Texas. Evidently Love went to the Waco convention opposed to the Klan, but seeing they were in the majority he accepted favors from them. The Times is not passing on the merits of the Klan or their right to control Democratic conventions in Texas, but we are pointing to matters of principles and comparison of men. If a man stands for a principle he ought not to compromise with something he does not believe to be right for sake of political honors. We have a political ring in Texas alright and Thomas Love has been at its head. The Klan has made him eat out of their hand. We would rather have seen the Klan turn Love and his bunch down altogether and selected one of their number that had been outspoken for Klan principles.

All we have to say is the editor of the Snyder Times, who chaws Battle-Axe, smokes cigarettes, snores in his sleep and says bad words when he "pies" type, is not living up to the high ideals he sets forth in some of his editorials.—Plainview News.

Who made you a judge of your fellows? What do the Holy Scriptures say about judging—"judge not less you be judged." Regardless of whether we live up to the high standards we are holding out, yet our failure will not detract from the Eternal Truth as set forth. Men may fail to live righteous in this life, yet God is always righteous and his Eternal Truth is lasting to everlasting. We are not to judge by human standards, but by the Divine pattern as furnished us from higher sources. You are more or less full of prunes.

Among the pioneer builders and newspapermen in Texas is Frank P. Holland, editor of the Farm and Ranch and Holland's Magazine. Frank P. Holland has been closely identified with the history of Texas for the past half century and has been a constructive force in every instance. We understand that he is to attend the Texas Press meeting at Amarillo this month, which information will be gladly received by his newspaper friends throughout the State. Frank P. Holland is getting up in years, his course is almost run, and soon he will drop the pen to take up the crown that comes to all men at the end of a successful life. In passing he has left his imprint upon the pages of Texas history, and it is left to future historians to do his the justice that his life work so richly deserve.

Among other grafts at Washington an investigation is being made of the Government Printing Office. In the investigation an amazing situation is brought to light—of gambling and bootlegging. A private wire was operated by one of the printers in an inside bucket shop as to racing. Hundreds of men and women spend all their wages gambling on horse races and other devices. Activities of bootleggers were widespread through the establishment, he said, "and evidence was found that liquor had been distilled in the office of one foreman, either under his supervision or at least with his knowledge." Government printers are highest salaried people in the printing trade. They get their appointment by political pull and have short hours and big pay. The gambling spirit is broadcast among all classes of the American people, and when the laboring class becomes addicted to the gambling habit it destroys them as well as other classes. When a man begins to gamble he spends recklessly his substance, always expecting something for nothing, or an easier way to make a living. When men begin to gamble they lose all sense of honor, and in many cases those holding positions of trust have become defaulters and common thieves in order to cover their losses. Men who start out on a gambling course are at the beginning usually honest, but temptation overcomes them. Many a banker or those connected with banking institutions in capacity of bookkeeper have defaulted through the gambling habit. Gambling is a vicious habit that grows on men and women. It disqualifies them for legitimate business, makes them reckless and invariably dishonest. Of all the vicious habits the American people are addicted to gambling is the worst. The Government printing office should be cleaned out and further gambling barred. There are few men who can be trusted after they have acquired the gambling habit.

American ideals needed in Europe, President Bizzell, of the A. & M. College declares. President Bizzell has just returned from Europe. Commenting upon prohibition in America and conditions in Europe, he says:

"I was inexpressibly sorry to read in the London papers of the speech made by a distinguished university president of the United States advocating the repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment. The people of Europe whose traditions are so different from our own can not understand the American policy of prohibition, but speaking for myself after this brief and impressionistic view of Western Europe, I am thankful that we have the Eighteenth Amendment and I am convinced that it is the policy of the intelligent law-abiding citizenship of this country to co-operate in making the observance of the law as nearly universal as possible. I returned to my own country more determined than ever to exert my limited influence in magnifying the American ideals of living and a more widespread loyalty and respect for our political ideas."

Over in Russia 10,000 school children were made to take an oath at the tomb of Lenin, the ex-socialist leader. This oath bound the children to help carry the Russian revolution into all the world. Thus is the young of that nation appealed to and having instilled in their young minds the doctrine of hate, of envy and jealousy. The Russian Bolshevism or Redism as it is called has destroyed financially and morally the Russian people of mature age, and not satisfied with their hellish propaganda at home they are seeking to carry this doctrine of socialism into all the world through the next generation. The issue of socialism will have to be met in all civilized countries, and as fast as it comes up for solution promptly must it be met and put down. This socialistic doctrine tried out to the fullest in Russia is dangerous, and must be stamped out in the affairs of men. If it destroys one nation, it will destroy all nations wherever and whenever it gets a hold. It will take several generations for Russia to outgrow the effects of socialism. If the Russian Bolshevists are teaching their children the doctrine of socialism they will eventually embrace same when they become leaders. The hopeful sign is that the world is awake to the danger of socialism and is meeting the situation promptly and decisively.

ENCOURAGEMENT AND DESPAIR

From the beginning to the end of God's revelation to man are found comforting words, assurance of protection, of the protecting care of God. "I will not fail thee or forsake thee," comes thundering down the ages, spoken of by inspiration to cheer man through life's weary pilgrimage. "Be of good cheer for low I am with thee," comes from the lips of Him who walked the ancient hills of Judea. Moses gave Joshua his parting message and Jehovah out of the mystic heavens

spoke these words, "Be strong and of good cheer." As a parting message the Savior spoke to His disciples: "Let not your hearts be troubled, neither let it be afraid." He must know that when he grumbles or complains, or looks sour and grouchy, he is manifesting, although unwittingly perhaps, lack of faith in his "Father which art in heaven." It is just as much his privilege as it was that of the great Apostle to exclaim with joy, "I am persuaded that he is able to keep that which I have committed unto him against that day." The "prince of the powers of the air" can not take one from "under the shadow of his wing;" he does not try to pluck one out of "the hollow of his hand;" he makes no effort to steal one out of "the everlasting arms." He knows it is useless to claim ownership of one who is constantly realizing that "in him we live, and move, and have our being."

It should be wonderfully encouraging and consolatory to know that "The angel of the Lord encampeth round about them that fear him, and delivereth them." But there is the condition—"round about them that fear him."

During the past ten years, the fire waste of the United States has more than doubled until we are now annually burning up values amounting to approximately \$506,540,000, which represents the annihilation of material wealth at the rate of \$964 a minute. This destruction, furthermore, is accompanied by injury and serious loss of life so that the country's human resources are also depleted by fire. These facts are striking enough in themselves but what particularly impresses those who have studied the reasons for our tremendous national ash-heap is the fact that it is largely the outgrowth of carelessness and is, therefore, preventable. Since most fires are due to the carelessness of the individual—the American habit of "taking a chance," with all of its faults and virtues—it is to the individual that we must look for betterment of the situation.

The Interior Department reports that in the course of experiments for the establishment of wireless communication with persons entombed in mine disasters conducted at the experimental coal mine of the Bureau of Mines, near Pittsburgh, Pa., signals have been transmitted obliquely through a distance of 800 feet of rock by the use of the T. P. S., or ground conduction system, developed by the Signal Corps of the Army. Should a practical system of underground communication be devised, it may be advisable as a safety and mine rescue aid, to place such signal apparatus, together with emergency equipment, at strategic points within the mine where men would be liable to be trapped in cases of mine explosions or other disasters.

LIST OF JURORS FOR THIRD WEEK OF DISTRICT COURT

List of persons drawn by the Jury Commissioners of the District Court of Scurry County, Texas, at the December term, 1923, to serve as petit jurors during the third week of the May term, 1924, of the said court:

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| P. A. Miller.       | H. C. Flourney.   |
| H. S. Moore.        | W. E. Wade.       |
| F. M. Lewis.        | Frank Wilson.     |
| J. E. Myers.        | S. J. Littlepage. |
| O. L. Barfoot.      | Ralph Hicks.      |
| J. E. Falls.        | J. S. Golden.     |
| P. L. Price.        | J. E. Huffman.    |
| Tom Hailey.         | S. W. Light.      |
| O. H. Holladay.     | J. I. Corn.       |
| G. W. Noel.         | J. S. Bradberry.  |
| C. B. Gleastine.    | J. S. Head.       |
| J. L. Carroll.      | E. J. Ely.        |
| W. B. Lemons.       | H. L. Wren.       |
| W. P. King.         | S. H. Newman.     |
| D. Z. Hess.         | Jim Mears.        |
| Sam Hamlett.        | E. L. Darby.      |
| A. C. Alexander.    |                   |
| A. M. McPherson.    |                   |
| A. D. Higginbotham. |                   |
| F. M. Brownfield.   |                   |

EXPRESSION OF THANKS

In behalf of Camp Bill Scurry I desire to thank those who so generously gave of their money to bear the expenses of our delegates to our general reunion at Memphis, Tenn., and especially do we thank S. J. Casstevens and J. C. Maxwell for their untiring labor in getting up this contribution. May God bless each and all of you.

G. M. D. Garner, Captain,  
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The saying that our wealth comes out of the earth is well known, but not so well understood. It is one of those things we hear, take for granted, and think very little about. For instance, little do we think when riding over a brick street or highway, or watching the erection of a brick building, or a brick sewer, that clay products stand fourth on the list of most valuable mineral products from a standpoint of produc-

tion. Thus it is, in the case of brick pavements, that earth furnishes the material which helps us conquer the mud and speed up transportation. Figures for 1923 in the vitrified paving brick branch of the clay products industries indicate that the to-

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The Presbyterian Pastor will return from Abilene for services at the First Presbyterian Church next Sunday. There will be new members to be received. Come and see who. Three members were received last Sunday. The Committee is busy collecting the old pledges for the new Presbyterian church and as soon as this is completed will begin a canvass for funds to complete the building. The work on building will be resumed as soon as sufficient funds are in the treasury. The Board has promised to aid and we are rejoicing and feel sure and confident that we will soon be able to begin and work on to completion. There will be no service at the Presbyterian Church next Sunday night. Will attend revival at the Methodist church. Rev. Bryant went to Abilene to attend the bedside of his daughter who is to undergo an operation this week. Sunday School last Sunday move up several notches in attendance. Let it be so every Sunday. Interest growing, and lesson study is grading up better. The Church and Sunday School are uniting with Brother Jameson and his church in prayer for the success of his meetin.

JUNIOR B. Y. P. U. NO. 1

Subject—The Story of a Good King.  
Introduction—Bernell Green  
Hezekiah opens the doors of the Temple—Maxine Shuler.  
The People Keep the Passover Again—Halbert McGuin.  
Hezekiah Refuses to Pay Tax to Assyria—Edna Earl Chapman.  
The Assyrian King Demands the Surrender of Jerusalem—James Rosser.  
Hezekiah Calls Upon God—Eva Grubbs.  
Isaiah's Prophecy Comes True—Marjie Smithers.  
The Last Days of Hezekiah—Weldon Alexander.  
Drill on Memory Work—Mrs. McGuin.  
Song—"I'll Go Where You Want Me to Go."  
Sword Drill.  
Closing Prayer—Mr. McGuin.  
Does it pay to serve God. Come and study with us how Hezekiah gain by trusting God. The Junior B. Y. P. U. No. 1 would be very happy to have more of our mothers and fathers visit us. Come and bring your children.

Misses Ethel and Loumattie Starks of Seminole came in Tuesday on a visit to their brother, G. A. Stark and family.  
Mr. and Mrs. Z. Taylor returned Tuesday from a week's visit with relatives and friends at Denton and other points in Central Texas.  
Mrs. R. N. Miller of Gail spent the week here visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Middleton.  
Mrs. B. W. Hudgins of Dallas was here this week visiting with her father, Mr. Highter, and sister, Mrs. Kate Cotten.  
Miss Blanche Mitchell of Gail was here Tuesday enroute to Canyon where she will attend the summer normal.

PERSONALS

Alvin Elkins and family left Saturday for their ranch in Kent county where they will make their home. Mr. Elkins sold his home in the west part of town to W. W. Smith and Mr. Smith and family moved into their new purchased home Monday.  
Miss Georgia Bolin came in Sunday from San Antonio where she has been teaching in the school for the past school term.  
Mrs. Sadie Davis of Mineral Wells is here this week visiting with her father, Henry Harless.  
Mrs. Mattie Vaughn and daughter, Miss Emily, and daughter-in-law, Mrs. Hugh Vaughn, of Hermleigh, were in town Monday doing some shopping.  
Mrs. J. H. Sears returned Monday from Marlin and Blooming Grove, where she and Mr. Sears have been spending several weeks. Mr. Sears returned home the latter part of last week. Mrs. Sears spent several days in Blooming Grove with her sister, Mrs. Jones, where she and Mr. Sears were called to attend the funeral of their brother-in-law, Mr. Jones.  
Mrs. Green and children of Colorado City, spent the past week here visiting with their sister, Mrs. H. G. Towle, and attending the Chautauqua. Mr. Green came up for the week-end and accompanied his family home.  
Mr. and Mrs. James T. Johnson and Mrs. Pearl Shannon of Colorado were here this week visiting with their sister, Mrs. H. G. Towle. They will leave during this week for several months tour through Colorado, Arizona and California. They will return by the way of Yellowstone Park, where they will spend some time.  
Miss Marguerite Yoder left Monday for Denton, where she will attend school for the summer term.  
Misses Mary and Eva Strayhorn returned Sunday from Denton where they have been attending C. I. A. for the past school term.  
Misses Mary Lou, Elane, and Marion Rosser returned Monday from Lubbock, where they spent Sunday with their mother. Mrs. Rosser is reported to be improving nicely and her many friends in Snyder hope that she will soon be able to return home entirely recovered.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Joyce left Tuesday morning for Ft. Worth, where they will spend a few days visiting with friends.  
Mrs. Duckworth of Post came in Sunday on a visit to her children, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Duckworth.  
Mr. and Mrs. Watson and daughter, Miss Mamie, were in town Monday evening visiting with friends and doing some shopping. Miss Mamie is home from Dallas to spend a week visiting with her parents.  
Miss Leola Blackard returned home Saturday from Canyon where she has been attending W. T. N. C. for the past school term.  
Miss Irma King who has been attending school in Slaton for the past year, has been here this week visiting with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Porter King.  
Miss Lavala Edwards, teacher in the Fluvanna school for the past term, was in town Saturday doing some shopping.  
Mrs. O. B. Timmons and children returned Tuesday from Lockney where they have been visiting with relatives and friends for the past several weeks.  
Billie Lee and family left Saturday for Dallas where they will spend the week visiting with Mrs. Lee's sister, Mrs. Chas. Ligon. They were accompanied as far as Mineral Wells by Mrs. P. M. Chambers who will spend her time visiting in that city.  
Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Cole left Sunday for their home in Fort Worth after a visit here with relatives and friends.

A. D. Dodson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Dodson, left Tuesday morning in company with his grandfather for the ranch, where he will spend a few weeks vacation.  
Mr. Byron Moss of Mineral Wells is here this week visiting with his mother, Mrs. Moss, and his sister, Mrs. Scott Porter.



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| Men's Cotton Hose, 2 pr. . . . . 25c            | No. 3 Galv. Tubs, extra heavy . . . . . \$1.04  |
| Ladies' House Slippers . . . . . 98c            | 10-qt. Galv. Pails . . . . . 29c  |
| Marcel Wavers . . . . . 12c                     | Granite Tea Kettles . . . . . 98c   |
| Curling Irons . . . . . 12c                     | Mrs. Potts Sad Irons . . . . . \$2.04   |
| Palm Olive Soap . . . . . 8c                    | 7-oz. Glasses, per set . . . . . 30c  |
| Cocoa Almond Soap . . . . . 8c                  | BOYS' BOOKS — We have an extra large assortment of boys' books which we have priced on sale at . . . . . 9c |
| Colgates Shaving Soap, 6 size . . . . . 25c     |   |
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| Colgates Face Powder . . . . . 9c               |   |
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8:30 P. M., Keynote Address—Dr. George W. Truett.

**Wednesday, July 16th.**  
6:00 A. M., Morning Watch—Dr. Millard A. Jenkins.  
6:45 A. M., Breakfast.  
8:00, B. Y. P. U. Study Class Period.  
10:00, "Denominational Hour," Address by Dr. S. P. Brooks.  
11:00, Song Service.  
11:15, Sermon—Dr. George W. Truett.  
12:30 P. M., Adjourn.  
2:00-3:00 P. M., "Quiet Hour," Rest Period.  
3:00-5:30, Recreation, directed by Y. P. Kuhn.  
7:30 P. M., Song and Musical Program—Mr. Stulce and Mrs. Leake.  
8:00, Inspirational Address—Rev. J. R. Balch.  
8:30, Sermon—Dr. George W. Truett.

**Thursday, July 17th.**  
6:00 A. M., "Morning Watch"—Dr. Millard A. Jenkins.  
6:45, Breakfast.  
8:00, B. Y. P. U. Class Period.  
9:00, Sunday School Class Period.  
10:00, Address—Dr. Edgar Godbold.  
11:00, Song Service.  
11:15, Sermon—Dr. George W. Truett.  
12:30 P. M., Adjourn.  
2:00-3:00, Rest Period.  
3:00-5:30, Recreation, Y. P. Kuhn in charge.  
7:30, Song and Musical Program—Mr. Stulce and Mrs. Leake.  
8:00, Inspirational Address—W. J. Nelson.  
8:30, Sermon—Dr. George W. Truett.

**Friday, July 18th.**  
6:00 A. M., "Morning Watch," Dr. Millard A. Jenkins.  
6:45, Breakfast.  
8:00, B. Y. P. U. Class Period.  
9:00, Sunday School Class Period.  
10:00, Denominational Address—Dr. J. C. Hardy.  
11:00, Song Service.  
11:15, Sermon—Dr. George W. Truett.  
12:30 P. M., Adjourn.  
2:00-3:00, Rest Period.  
3:00-5:30, Recreation, Y. P. Kuhn in charge.  
7:30, Song and Musical Program—Mr. Stulce and Mrs. Leake.  
8:00, Inspirational Address—Dr. L. J. Mims.  
8:30, Sermon—Dr. George W. Truett.

**Saturday, July 19th.**  
6:00 A. M., "Morning Watch,"—Dr. Millard A. Jenkins.  
6:45, Breakfast.  
8:00, B. Y. P. U. Class Period.  
9:00, Sunday School Class Period.  
10:00, Denominational Address—Dr. J. D. Sandefer.  
11:00, Song Service.  
11:15, Sermon—Dr. George W. Truett.  
12:30 P. M., Adjourn.  
2:00-3:00, Rest Period.  
3:00-5:30, Recreation, Y. P. Kuhn, director.  
7:30, Song and Musical Program—Mr. Stulce and Mrs. Leake.  
8:00, Inspirational Address—P. D. O'Brien.  
8:30, Sermon—Dr. George W. Truett.

**Sunday, July 20th.**  
9:45 A. M., Encampment Sunday School.  
11:00, Morning Worship, Sermon, Dr. George W. Truett.  
3:00 P. M., Special Address by Dr. George W. Truett.  
6:30, Encampment B. Y. P. U.  
7:30, Song and Musical Program—Mr. Stulce and Mrs. Leake.  
8:30, Sermon—Dr. George W. Truett.

**Monday, July 21st.**  
6:00 A. M., "Morning Watch"—Rev. A. J. Holt.  
6:45, Breakfast.  
8:00, B. Y. P. U. Class Period.  
9:00, Sunday School Class Period.  
10:00, Denominational Address—M. H. Wolfe.  
11:00, Song Service.  
11:15, Sermon—Dr. George W. Truett.

**HOUSTON MAN WANTS TO  
BUY LIVE JACK RABBITS**

The following inquiry to the Scurry County Chamber of Commerce relative to the purchase of live jack rabbits has been received:  
**GULF COAST SPEEDWAY**  
Main Street at Lamar  
Houston, Texas  
May 24, 1924.

Snyder Chamber of Commerce, Snyder, Texas.  
Dear Sirs:  
Kindly refer this letter to some one that can furnish me with one hundred or more live jack rabbits at once. Willing to pay 50c per head. Wire me collect when they could ship. Will wire check.  
Thanking you,  
Yours truly,  
U. P. Broussard,  
Manager.

2:00-3:00 P. M., Rest Period.  
3:00-5:30, Recreation, Y. P. Kuhn, director.  
7:30, Song and Musical Program—Mr. Stulce and Mrs. Leake.  
8:00, Inspirational Address—Rev. L. L. F. Parker.  
8:30, Sermon—Dr. Lee R. Scarborough.

**Tuesday, July 22nd.**  
6:00 A. M., "Morning Watch"—Rev. A. J. Holt.  
6:45, Breakfast.  
8:00, B. Y. P. U. Class Period.  
9:00, Sunday School Class Period.  
10:00, Denominational Address—Dr. F. S. Groner.  
11:00, Song Service.  
8:30, Sermon—Dr. Lee R. Scarborough.

2:00-3:00 P. M., Rest Period.  
3:00-5:30, Recreation, Y. P. Kuhn director.  
7:30, Song and Musical Program—Mr. Stulce and Mrs. Leake.  
8:00, Inspirational Address—Rev. B. N. Shepherd.  
8:30, Sermon—Dr. Lee R. Scarborough.

**Wednesday, July 23rd.**  
6:00 A. M., "Morning Watch"—Rev. A. J. Holt.  
6:45, Breakfast.  
8:00, B. Y. P. U. Class Period.  
9:00, Sunday School Class Period.  
10:00, Denominational Address.  
11:00, Song Service.  
11:15, Sermon—Dr. Lee R. Scarborough.

12:30, Adjourn.  
2:00-3:00 P. M., Rest Period.  
3:00-5:30, Recreation, Y. P. Kuhn, director.  
7:30, Song and Musical Program—Mr. Stulce and Mrs. Leake.  
8:00, Inspirational Address—Rev. J. Mat Harder.  
8:30, Sermon—Dr. Scarborough.

**Thursday, July 24th.**  
6:00 A. M., "Morning Watch"—Rev. A. J. Holt.  
6:45, Breakfast.  
8:00, B. Y. P. U. Class Period.  
9:00, Sunday School Class Period.  
10:00, Denominational Address.  
11:00, Song Service.  
11:15, Sermon—Dr. Lee R. Scarborough.

2:00-3:00 P. M., Rest Period.  
3:00-5:30, Recreation, Y. P. Kuhn, director.  
7:30, Song and Musical Program—Mr. Stulce and Mrs. Leake.  
8:00, Inspirational Address—J. E. Billington.  
8:30, Closing Sermon—Dr. Lee R. Scarborough.

**Take Calotabs for the liver**  
Beware of imitations. Demand the genuine in 10c and 35c packages bearing above trade mark.

**CELEBRATION TO BE HELD  
AT ADOBE WALLS JUNE 27**

PAMPA, Gray Co., Texas, May 24.—Plans for the fiftieth anniversary celebration of the battle of Adobe Walls to be held on the battle field at the Turkey Track Ranch, June 27, are rapidly assuming definite shape. Already a considerable portion of the funds necessary for the erection of a monument to mark the battle field and commemorate the memory of the buffalo hunters and others who fought and bled there June 27, 1874, during the sanguinary encounter with the Indians, has been raised and assurances are given that the monument will be in place ready for the unveiling by the date of the anniversary celebration.

The monument will have a concrete base eight to ten feet square, which will support a granite block containing the names of the men who participated in the memorable battle. Concrete markers will be erected at various points on the battle field and at the graves of the men who lost their lives at the hands of the Indians during the fight.

The fiftieth anniversary celebration and monument unveiling will be held on the banks of the Canadian. A barbecue and public speaking will be the chief features. People are expected to attend from all portions of the Panhandle and the Upper Plains country.

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Address W. A. SoRelle, General Agent, 17 Santa Fe Building, Seagraves, Gaines County, Texas, for terms of sale and descriptive folder. 50-1f

**FOR SALE—Leader No. 2 well drill**, complete, with six horse-power Fairbanks-Morse engine. Inquire Times office. 50-3p

Am selling my flock of Rhode Island Reds. Choicest hens \$1.50, others \$1.00 each. Two roosters \$15.00, the others \$2.50. Mrs. D. P. Yoder. 49-1f

**Sideache Backache**

"I have been taking Cardui," says Mrs. Lillie Bolton, of Lake Providence, La. "I got down in bad health and lost in weight until I only weighed 120 pounds. I had bad pains in my sides and back and my legs hurt me until I couldn't walk. I stayed in bed half the time. I tried all kinds of medicine, but it did me no good. Finally I tried

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Cardui has relieved many kinds of pains and distressing symptoms caused by female trouble. It should help you, too, in the same way. Why not give it a trial?

**FOR SALE**—In one of the best towns on the Plains, general store. Well located, no old stuff; doing good business. No trade considered. Stock and fixtures will run around \$10,000.00. Inquire Scurry County Times. 50-3tp

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**PERSONALS**

Mr. and Mrs. T.-M. Ganaway of Sinton, Texas, came in Tuesday on a visit to their father, Dr. Palmer, and their sister, Mrs. Green.

Miss Polly Harpole was the weekend guest of her cousins, the Misses Jenkins, of Gail.

Jack Cantrell of Gail was here Monday with his two daughters who were enroute to Canyon where they will attend summer school.

J. R. Jenkins and daughters, Misses Mary and Francis, of Gail, were here Monday, the guests of their relatives, Mr. Harpole and family.

**Peculiar Yana Language.**

The Yana language of northern California represents a distinct linguistic stock and had formerly three dialects, one of which is now extinct. It possesses two forms of speech, one of which is employed by men speaking to men, while the other is used in all other cases. Practically the language has only nouns and verbs, the adjectives, adverbs, numerals, interrogative pronouns and conjunctions being formed from the verbs.

**Tyndall Great Scientist.**

Tyndall was one of the first to suggest that the cause of the great changes that the climate of the earth has undergone in the past might conceivably be the formation of thin canopies of gas in the atmosphere, capable of transmitting the luminous heat of the sun, but impervious to the dark heat rays radiated back from the earth.

**Cable Laid in Record Time.**

Six miles of telegraph cable was laid and put into service in Sweden in just eight minutes. The trick was done by stretching the cable from an airplane. Of the time consumed, six minutes was spent in flying, and the other two in making connections. Thus the cable was laid at the rate of a mile a minute.

**World's Debt to Doctors.**

Malaria remained a mystery until the patient detective work of doctors proved that it was the bite of a certain genus of mosquito that conveyed the disease to man. Now that the facts are known, destruction of the breeding places of these mosquitoes is followed by immunity from the disease.

**Reached Absolute Limit.**

A young neighbor, my sister and myself were coming home from the store one evening when it began to rain. We started to run, but after hurrying for some time slowed up again. My young neighbor, between gasps, cried: "Virginia, please don't run any more; my heart's broke now."—Exchange.

**Everlasting Mystery.**

Flora had hash for breakfast. She looked at the last mouthful of her portion earnestly as she poised it on her fork. Then she passed it out of sight. But the mystery was still in her mind. "Daddy," said she, "what was hash when it was alive?"

**"Pig Iron."**

Pig iron is so called because the molten metal is run into a long mass with shorter pieces attached to it at right angles. The long pieces are called the sow, and the shorter are called the pigs.

**Cork Production.**

The tree from which cork is obtained is only fit to be barked when about twenty-six years old, and this can be done successfully every eight years, the quality improving with the increasing age of the tree.

**Cleaning Isinglass in Car Curtains.**

Rub the isinglass in motor car curtains with slightly warm cylinder oil, after which wipe off the oil with a piece of clean cloth. Then remove the last traces of oil with a clean cloth dampened with gasoline.

**Teach Children Care of Books.**

Teach children the proper care of their books by having low bookshelves around the walls of their room and insisting upon their putting their books in place after the story hour.

**Original Scavengers.**

Scavengers were originally officials who collected scavage, a tax imposed in many English towns on all goods exposed for sale within their boundaries.

**Youthful Chivalry.**

A second grade teacher asked her pupils what a coward was. One little boy raised his hand and said: "A coward is a boy who fights girls."

**Old Sailing Terms.**

The terms "port" and "starboard" have been used when giving directions to the man at the helm of a ship since the sixteenth century.

**Has Different Place in Alphabets.**

The letter A, in the Runic Futhork alphabet, stands in fourth place, and in the Ethiopic occupies the thirteenth place.

**Human Mind at Rest.**

As the firefly only shines when on the wing, so it is with the human mind—when at rest, it darkens.—L. B. Landon.

Taylor Cotton and family and Mrs. Dock Richardson spent Wednesday visiting with relatives in the Dunn community.

Mrs. Leverett of Hermleigh was a visitor to our city Tuesday.

Hugh Boren and family, Tom Boren and family left Wednesday morning for Ennis where they will visit with their mother and other relatives.

Miss Martha Gray left Wednesday morning for Canyon where she will enter school for the summer term.

Mrs. A. B. Roberts and daughter, Mrs. Bertie Jordan, left Wednesday morning for their home in Plainview, after a week's visit here with their daughters and sisters, Mesdames Maxwell and Waskom.

Miss Faye and brother, Garrett Harrell, of Camp Springs, returned home Wednesday from Abilene where they have been attending Simmons College for the past term.

Mrs. Ketter and son, Jim Jr., are spending this week visiting with relatives at Ira.

Mrs. H. W. Waterman and baby left Monday for Paris, Texas, where they will spend several weeks visiting with her parents.

Mr. Webb of Mineral Wells, has accepted a position with the Cash Garage. Mr. Webb comes to Mr. Hendryx well recommended and he considered he was fortunate in securing the services of such a good mechanic to look after this part of his business.

Mrs. W. C. Miller and Mrs. Chas. Miller of Durham were here Tuesday doing some shopping.

Dr. Hannabas, wife and daughter, Miss Miriam, of Gail, were here Monday visiting with Mrs. Hannabas' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McClinton.

A. B. Dunham went to Lubbock Tuesday to spend a few days visiting with his son who is in the sanitarium, recovering from an operation he underwent for appendicitis last week.

H. M. Blackard left Wednesday for Wichita Falls where he will spend several days looking after business interests.

Mrs. W. S. Gillam left Tuesday for Southland where she will spend several days visiting with her mother, Mrs. Hudson.

Miss Lyda May, who has been teaching in the Kidd-Key College at Sherman for the past year, returned home Saturday to spend the summer vacation with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. May.

Judge Holley has been on the sick list several days this week and has not been able to be at his office for the past several days.

Pat Johnson has moved into his new home just completed in the west part of town which is one of the nicest little homes in that part of the town.

Miss Green, who has been teaching the past term in our school, having charge of the Domestic science department, left Tuesday for her home in Centerville, Iowa. Miss Green has given the best satisfaction possible in this year's work and it is with regret that we learn that she will not return to our school for another year, for she made many friends both among the students and patrons during her stay among us.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jones of Fluvanna were here Tuesday for medical treatment. Mrs. Jones was suffering from a very sore eye, having gotten something in it a few days before.

Miss Lois Johnston returned Wednesday from Canyon where she has been attending the West Texas Normal for the past year. Miss Lois received her degree at the close of this term and plans to spend the summer here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Johnston.

C. C. Carter left Wednesday for Lampasas where he will spend some time visiting with his brother.

Miss Lenora Martin returned Wednesday from Canyon where she has been attending the Normal.

Mrs. N. S. Cummings who has been visiting with her mother, Mrs. A. Duke, of Fluvanna, left Wednesday for her home at Houston.

Miss Girdline Dane returned home today from Abilene where she has been attending Simmons for the past school term.

J. A. Thompson and wife of Ira community were in town Wednesday doing some shopping.

Little Misses Dixie Lee and Dorris Davis, Dinaween Bridgeman and Helen Cauble spent the week-end on the ranch visiting with their little friend Saxton West.

Mrs. Edna Tinker received a message Sunday stating her Uncle, R. S. Byrd, living in Ridge, Montana, had died. Mr. Byrd lived in Snyder a number of years ago and will be remembered by many of our old settlers and it is with deep regret that they will hear of his sudden death, as he was sitting in his chair, seemingly well when death struck him.

Ben Davis, Jr., and family, Mitchell McMath and wife returned Saturday from a week's vacation and outing spent in New Mexico and other points in that part of the country.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Henry moved to their farm near Dermott Wednesday, where they will make their home this summer.

Grandmother Dunn of Dunn was here this week visiting with her daughter, Mrs. G. N. Richardson.

L. P. Smith returned Saturday from Oklahoma City where he has completed his third year course in medicine in the Medical University of that state. He will spend the summer here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Smith.

Mrs. Mary S. Brown and Mrs. J. W. Warren left Tuesday for a three-day trip to Clairmont and Jayton. Mrs. Brown goes to visit the Eastern Star Chapters at these places, as District Deputy Grand Matron. Mrs. Warren will visit friends at these places.

**Back to Cash and Carry Grocery**

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FOR SALE—One good milk cow and one dozen thoroughbred Rhode Island Red hens. C. F. Sentell. 2-1tc

FOR RENT—My home on west side. See J. I. Baze. 2-tfc

**Special Grocery Prices**

**SATURDAY - MONDAY**

- Sugar, 25-pound sacks ----- \$2.15
- Sugar, 100-pound sacks ----- \$8.40
- Pinto Beans, per pound ----- 8c
- 10-lb. Bucket Good Honey ----- \$1.50
- Sugar is down. Buy your supply before Canning Season.

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- Crisp, Cool Tissue Gingham ----- \$3.85
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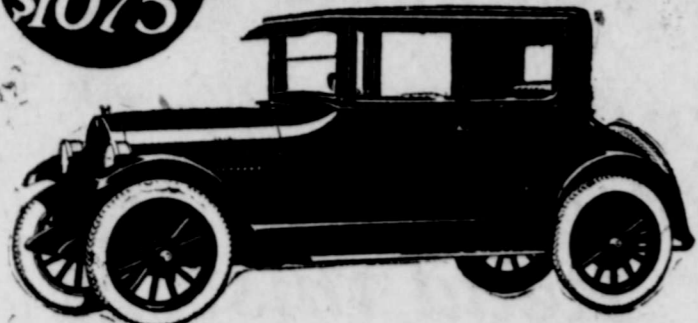
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Mrs. O. P. Thrane and nephew, George Webb, in company with Fred Wasson and Conway Johnson, left Wednesday for Durant, Oklahoma, where they will spend several weeks visiting with relatives. George will spend the summer vacation there with his father and sisters.

## PERFECT DAYS ALWAYS

By GRACE E. HALL

THERE isn't a day in the whole round year  
That isn't a perfect day;  
Measured and trued and painted with gold,  
It glides on its destined way;  
It is one of the gems that is given you—  
A pearl in life's necklace rare,  
And it hasn't a scar and it hasn't a mar—  
Unless you have made it there.

The sun cannot shine every day of your life,  
But the soft clouds have their place;  
If all of the hours were a glitter and shine,  
You would weary in each day's race;  
For the eyes must behold and the soul must feel  
The peace of these quiet days,  
That soften the light and refresh our sight,  
After the burning rays.

There is beauty abundant for every need  
In every day of the year;  
If you cannot see it, you're blind indeed,  
For beauty is ever near;  
Whatever your lot, you may freely share  
In the paintings of earth and sky;  
They are wondrous in worth and there's never a dearth  
Of charm—for the seeing eye.  
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**Struggled Hard for Life.**  
Strange evidence was given by the house surgeon at a Barrow (Eng.) hospital at the request of an eight-year-old boy. The boy died from lockjaw caused by falling and cutting his wrist on a tin. The surgeon said he died three times. He stopped breathing twice and animation was restored twice. The third time he stopped breathing it was final.

## WILD ANIMALS KNOW FRIENDS

Man, Sole Resident of Island, Has Won Confidence of Deer to a Remarkable Extent.

A wonderful wild-animal sanctuary is to be found on Hardy Island, a dot of rocks and trees off the coast of British Columbia, where a veteran prospector has achieved the feat of winning the confidence of wild deer so completely that now they come from long distances to visit him. This remarkable man, T. B. Brazil, has built tables for the deer near his house. Each deer has a separate bowl, and their table manners are exceptionally good. This is the first wild-deer restaurant in the world, writes Francis Dickie in the Christian Herald.

That animals communicate with one another is strikingly shown by the fact that when Mr. Brazil first took up his residence on this island, where he is the only human being, he saw only two deer. He put out feed for them, and after a few weeks got their confidence. In the autumn those deer brought five more. The next year there were 30. Today, six years later, hundreds come to the island. They make it their refuge during the shooting season, knowing they will be protected, and the does here give birth to their young, so that in the early summer the island is alive with little ones. The deer come and go at will, and the minute they are parted from their protector are absolutely wild deer. It has not been easy work for the man thus to establish himself in perfect trust of the hundreds of deer and it has taken him nearly a decade, but now the deer are coming to him from distant islands and the mainland. It certainly is an achievement, for it must be borne in mind that all these deer were born in the wild and came to maturity in the fear of man. Most of them will vanish at sight of a stranger.

While the animals are well fed at the open air restaurant, some of them insist on coming to the house and knocking on the door with head or horns, or rattling the door knob with their teeth, in this way begging for extra food delicacies, such as oatmeal. One great buck came every night in this manner for a period of a year, often forcing the man to get out of bed to feed him.

Melvin Newton and family have moved into their home in the west part of town which they recently purchased from Mr. Curry. Mrs. Curry and children left Friday for Crosbyton, where Mr. Curry has been for the past several weeks, having purchased the Crosbyton Review.

Miss Grace Caveness, teacher of Spanish in the West Texas Normal at Canyon, was here several days this week visiting with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Buchanan and other relatives. Miss Caveness is enroute to her home at San Marcos where she will spend a few weeks visiting with her parents and then will join her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Smith, and cousin, Miss Ruth Buchanan, of Austin, for a several months' trip through Washington territory and other points of interest in that part of the country.

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### JUNIOR B. Y. P. U. NO. 2

Subject—The Story of a Good King.  
Opening Exercise, Main Auditorium.  
Group No. 3 in charge.  
Introduction—May Williams.  
Hezekiah Opens the Doors of the Temple—Loy Williams.  
The People Keep the Passover Again—J. W. Green.  
Hezekiah Refused to Pay Tax to Assyria—Jack Chinn.  
The Assyrian King Demands the Surrender of Jerusalem—Russell Shaw.  
Hezekiah Calls Upon God—Leota Glenn.  
Isaiah's Prophecy Comes True—Raehael Saunders.  
The Last Days of Hezekiah—Francis Sutherland.  
Drill on Memory Work.  
Song and Closing Prayer.  
Every member be present. Bring a new member and come with a prepared lesson. All officers of each Union be at the church at 7 o'clock Friday evening for a business meeting.

### NATIONAL GUARD HAS RECEIVED CLOTHING EQUIPMENT

The National Guard unit of Snyder received their clothing equipment the latter part of last week, and same has been stored in the armory. The Guard now has all their men equipped with new clothing. They are expecting to receive their rifles within the next few days. They expect to get off to camp about the first of August.

### DISTRICT ATTORNEY BROOKS GOES TO DALLAS SANITARIUM

District Attorney Jas. T. Brooks suffered a breakdown last week during the court and left Saturday for Dallas where he entered a sanitarium for treatment. Word from him is to the effect that he is improving and will be able to return to his work next Monday.

### O. E. S. MEETING

There will be a call meeting of the Eastern Star Chapter Friday evening at 8 o'clock for the purpose of installing officers, conferring degrees and a short business session. All members are urged to be in attendance and be on time as this is a very important meeting for all members. Visitors welcomed.

### H. G. TOWLE TO TAKE POSTGRADUATE COURSE

Mr. H. G. Towle will leave Saturday for Kansas City where he will take a special course in optometry. He has also received appointment as Texas delegate to the National Optometry Association which meets in Kansas City June 8th. There are eight delegates to represent Texas in the National Association meet and Mr. Towle has been singularly honored as one of the number.

### AT THE CHURCH OF CHRIST

Bible study at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11. No preaching at night because of Methodist revival.  
We will be glad to have all worship with us at the morning service. We will do all we can to make it a pleasure for you.  
E. Christian, Minister.

### EAST SIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST

Bible Study at 10 A. M. Preaching at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. by Willard O. Davis of Abilene. Communion service after the 11 o'clock sermon. Song service at 3 P. M. This will be the opening of our new church house, the auditorium of which has just been completed. To all we extend a hearty invitation and welcome.  
W. H. Clements.  
R. C. Huggins.

## CLOSING OUT SALE

On account of sickness, am selling out my little stock of Groceries. If you want some Groceries cheap, come to my sale beginning Saturday, June 7.

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**SWEETWATER AND HERMLEIGH DIVIDE HONORS**

The people of Hermleigh increased their reputation as hosts by their entertainment of the Boy Scout Field Meet and Quarterly Council meeting last Friday. Under the leadership of the Scoutmaster, Rev. C. A. Jones, everything possible was done to make the visitors enjoy themselves. Rev. Jones was ably assisted by Assistant Scoutmasters, Elmer Louder, H. O. Barbour and Dallas Dhaley.

This is the first field meet to be held by the Buffalo Trail Council and officials of the organization say that it went ahead of their expectations in point of interest and attendance. About 150 Scouts, from all four counties of the council, were present and about that number of adults attended. Much good natured rivalry developed over the field events and it took the last contest to decide the winners.

**ALL KINDS OF LUNCHES**

Hot Barbecue from 6 to 9—to eat here or take it home with you.

All Packing House Products found here ready to serve — Hamburgers and Fresh Fruits.

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noon and by two o'clock all were there and ready for the activities. Dinner was served for the early arrivals. At 2:30 the bugle sounded assembly and all gathered in the spacious tabernacle. Rev. Jones made the welcoming address in which he offered the city to the visitors and begged that they call on him and his assistants for anything in or out of reason. Rev. W. M. Elliott, President of the Council, responded, thanking the people of Hermleigh for

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their hospitality and expressing the pleasure of all the visitors at being present.

The field events which followed were strictly Scouting contests and showed good progress on the part of all the Scouts who entered.

When the official scorers counted up the points they found that Hermleigh Troop 1 and Sweetwater Troop 1 were tied for first place with 130 points each with Colorado Troop 1 holding the third position with 90 points. All troops participating made points in one or more events. Challenges for another meeting indicate that it will be necessary to repeat in the next few months. Runners-up in most of the events feel that it will be different next time.

At six o'clock the crowd again assembled in the tabernacle where supper was served. Beef, salads, pickles, cakes and pies occupied the attention of everyone for some time and in spite of the hungry boys there were large quantities of the various delectables left.

Rev. W. M. Elliott spoke at some

length concerning his attendance at the National Council Meeting in St. Louis, May 9-10. The burden of his address was that the adults were not taking the Boy Scout program seriously enough and he mentioned a number of nationally prominent men who are giving of their time and money to this program for character building and citizenship training.

Mr. John Corhn, of Rotan, presented that city's claim for the next meeting, probably in September, and a motion to close nominations and make it unanimous for Rotan was enthusiastically carried.

**HOW'S THIS?**

**HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE** will do what we claim for it—rid your system of Catarrh or Deafness caused by Catarrh. **HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE** consists of an Ointment which Quickly Relieves the catarrhal inflammation, and the Internal Medicine, a Tonic, which acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces, thus assisting to restore normal conditions. Sold by druggists for over 40 Years. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O.

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Calls for summer conveniences. Our Oil Stoves, "The Kerogas," makes cooking a pleasure—you will find these stoves priced right. The farmer will find his needs here in way of hoes, rakes, plows. Harness goods of all kinds, and the best farming implements on the market.

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In order to mix a ration properly one must know a great many things that can only be learned by practical experience. Some of these are the physical condition and palatability of feeds and the chemical elements that go to make milk, bone and flesh in scientifically accurate proportion. Experienced breeders are almost unanimous in their convictions that to get maximum production one must follow very closely a certain standard which is embodied in SUPERIOR DAIRY RATION.

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### SERVICE OR RATES, WHICH?

P. H. Gadsden, Vice-President of the United Gas Improvement Company, Philadelphia, in a recent address before the Eastern States Gas Conference emphasized "Service" as contrasted with "Rates" in the operation of public utility properties. In part, he said:

"In the popular mind there is no appreciation of the intimate relation which exists between public utility rates and service. In every other line of business, in every other field of human activity, it is readily recognized that the better the quality the higher the price. That in the purchase of a suit of clothes, or an automobile, in renting a house or in buying groceries, if we select an article of lower price we reluctantly make up our minds to be satisfied with something which is not quite so good. This is the unvarying law of economics which has universal application. It is as potential in field of public utilities as it is in commerce.

"The failure to recognize this fact has brought about the partial breakdown of the credit of many steam railroads and has seriously impaired

the credit and financial standing of some of the gas companies and other public utilities throughout the country."

"The public has so long been accustomed to the very high class of service being rendered by its public utilities that it has come to take good service for granted—it has acted on the assumption that no matter what change may be made in a street railway, telephone, gas or electric rate, the service will remain the same.

"The confusion of thought on this subject is illustrated by the fact that a comparison of rates charged in other cities is frequently resorted to as a basis for a demand for reductions without any consideration having been given to the quality of service which is being rendered elsewhere.

"A shortsighted or mistaken policy in dealing with public utilities—the failure to realize that after all service is the essential element, has retarded the development of communities and jeopardized their future. A community can grow no faster than its public utilities."

### LADIES AID OF FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

The Ladies Aid of the First Christian Church met at the church Tuesday afternoon instead of Monday, their regular meeting day, on account of the Chautauqua program on Monday afternoon.

Song—No. 252.  
Devotional Exercise led by Mrs. Monroe.

Prayer—Mrs. Stanfield.  
Mrs. Wasson conducted the lesson for the evening which was very interesting and instructive.

There will be a joint meeting of the Aid on the Fifth Monday at which time it is hoped to have every member of our Aid present and enjoy this meeting.

Benediction—Mrs. Sparks.

### UNDERWENT OPERATION

Mrs. Horace Cotten underwent an operation in the Lubbock Sanitarium last Friday for appendicitis. Mrs. Cotten has been very sick for several days, but we are glad to report that she is now improving nicely and her friends hope that she will soon be able to return home.

## Classified

FOR SALE—Bundled oats at 8c per bundle, at my place 7 miles west of Snyder. S. G. Lunsford. 1-2tp

FOR RENT—Two dwelling houses. See C. F. Ferguson. 1tc

FOR SALE—Fine Holland turkey eggs, 15c each. Address Mrs. Joe Reep, Rotan, Tex. 1-2tc

FOR SALE—200 bushels of peaches at the orchard. Can load trucks if wanted. Will begin gathering June 5th. W. S. Reed, Camp Springs, Texas. 1-2tc

LOST—In Snyder or on Snyder and Gail road, a leather walking cane, with "M. J." engraved on top. Finder please leave at Snyder National Bank. Will pay a reasonable reward. M. J. Jones. 1-2tp

FOR SALE—An 120-acre farm 2 miles of Fluvanna, 60 acres in cultivation, well improved and two good wells of waters. \$2500.00 cash, balance easy terms. A. P. Smith, Fluvanna. 1-2tp

Where is the place of Extra Service?

WANTED—A single man, white or black, to work on farm. Sidney Johnson. 49-tfc

WANTED TO RENT—Entire block of land at my home place, for cultivation. For further information, see Mrs. M. D. Akers. 43-tfc

For Chandler lump coal go to J. C. Dawson Fuel Yard. Phone 13.

ATTENTION, HERMLEIGH — Am cutting into quarters a section of land, same to be sold on easy terms. Three miles west of Hermleigh, good sandy, cut-claw land. Write or call Earnest & Earnest, Colorado, Texas. 42-tfc

"It Pays to Pay at Ware's."

5 1-2 Per Cent Money  
Have \$1,000,000.00 to loan on farms and ranches. A. J. Towle. 52-3tc

We will set our incubator the 19th and 26th of May for the last times this season. Those wanting custom hatching let us know. Green and Glenn.

Kerosene oil, the best. Phoné J. C. Dawson Fuel Yard. Phone 13.

WANTED TO RENT—My residence 2 blocks east of square. Modern conveniences. Box 481.

LOST — Lady's solitaire diamond ring. Finder please return to Times office and receive liberal reward. 52-tf

NOTICE—No fishing or hunting or loitering allowed on the premises of O. P. Wolfe. Any one caught trespassing will be prosecuted. O. P. Wolfe. 51-4tp

FOR SALE—Two thousand bundles of milo maize. For particulars see Bill Taylor. 1tp

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Broadcast binder in good condition. Bargain. Marian Newton. 1-tfc

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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC  
I will charge 25c for fishing or loitering on our creek. No hunting allowed. If you don't want to pay for this privilege, then stay out. Elvin and Albert Thompson. 46-tfc

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Have \$1,000,000.00 to loan on farms and ranches. A. J. Towle. 51-4tc

Kerosene oil, the best. Phone J. C. Dawson Fuel Yard. Phone 13.

FOR SALE—Three hundred bales wheat and Johnson grass hay at 50 cents per bale. A. J. Towle. 51-4t

FOR RENT—Extra nice furnished light housekeeping rooms. Phone 456 or see Mrs. N. B. Moore, East Snyder. 1tp

### NOTICE OF CORRECTION

In the card of thanks relative to the death of Grandma Bibbee the name of Mrs. M. E. Bibbee was left off. The Times calls attention to this correction.

Attention Oddfellows and Rebekahs  
A memorial service will be held at the Oddfellows Hall on Sunday, June 8, 3:00 P. M. We ask all Oddfellows and Rebekahs of the county to be with us at this time. This service will be open to the public who wish to attend.

Misses Carlie and Willie Mae Card came in Wednesday morning from Ft. Worth, where they have been teaching in the school for the past term.

## You Can Paint Your Car at Home

We handle the Whiz Auto Paint—you can do your own painting and make your car look like a new one. Whiz Paint is made especially to put on over the old paint—it doesn't leave brush marks and is easy to apply.

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The picnicing parties will find here lunches and sandwiches for their outings. The question of what we will take for our lunch is solved at our place.

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# ICE!

Our Ice is now the Cleanest and Purest to be Found in the State "DIAMOND PURE" brand is sold by Dealers at Camp Springs, Hermleigh, Dunn, Ira, Ennis, Fluvanna, Gail, Dermott, Polar and Snyder City station.

Ice is the greatest food saver and health protection during the hot months.

# SNYDER UTILITIES COMPANY

## Courage and Statesmanship Badly Needed

The San Francisco Bulletin has been running some excellent editorials on the necessity of getting back to first principles in our regard for and honor of the constitution of the United States and the fundamental principles which were recognized in establishing our democratic form of government.

In commenting upon the recent action in Congress and its failure to exert itself along business rather than political lines, the Bulletin in double column, black-face editorial, after citing numerous instances of the shortcomings of our national law-making body, says:

"At bottom, responsibility for the present disgraceful situation at Washington lies with Congress, whose hypocrisy, shirking and moral cowardice brought about conditions that made corruption inevitable."

It then cites numerous instances of radical, silly or freak legislation which Congress has passed to satisfy hysterical demands or dodge responsibility.

"A dozen boards and bureaus can be mentioned to which Congress has granted the high, middle and the low justice with respect to wide areas of activity and important industries."

"Citizens and business enterprises can be ruined by various of these boards and bureaus without ever having a day in court. As for ancient right of privacy, there is nothing left. Our telephones are tapped, our desks are rifled, our books searched on orders from our departmental inquisitors. Few human beings are fit to be trusted with the power which Congress so gaily delegates to the bureaucracy."

"Our form of government has changed under our eyes. We are governed not by statutes, but by rulings of this department and that commissioner whose orders have the force of laws. Our rights are determined for us not by courts and juries, who hear our cases in public, but by inspectors and investigators and bureaus to collect evidence where they find it and announce decision in true Turkish fashion. That, of course, is not democracy. It is not even efficient, but if it were, free government should not be sacrificed to efficiency."

"Only a Congress that will display some courage and statesmanship, and a little devotion to the constitution of the United States, will rid us of this pest of bureaucracy and restore the American ideal of popular government."

The Bulletin editorial is a strong statement of the case, but it will take strong leaders among our publishers and our public officials to save intact to the American people the liberties which were granted them in the formation of our government.

### CLEANING UP THE SCENERY

There has been much public agitation to remove unsightly billboards from scenic spots on beautiful highways which are being built in various states.

Without waiting for legislation on the subject, one of the largest users of signboards on the Pacific Coast, the Standard Oil Company of California, has removed over a thousand of its road signs.

Other large companies of this section, which is noted for its beautiful scenery, have indicated their willingness to follow the lead of the Standard Oil Company. Comment has been almost unanimous in favor of this action.

Nothing is more unsightly than a collection of fifty-seven varieties of signs as one enters every town or city, or at points where the eye is attracted by a beautiful view or some other object of interest.

It is altogether probable that better advertising results could be secured by spending the same amount of money in the rural newspapers of the various states.

### "MEAT FOR HEALTH"

"Meat for Health" has been adopted as the official slogan of the live stock and meat industry of the United States. This was made public today by R. C. Pollock, Managing Director of the National Live Stock and Meat Board, which represents live stock producers, commission men, packers and retailers.

The successful slogan was picked from a list of sixty-two suggested by members of the National Board. "Meat—the King of Foods," came second in favor and "Meat Makes the Meal Complete" was third.

Members of the Board acting as final judges were: J. W. Coverdale, Secretary of the American Farm Bureau Federation; Howard Leonard, prominent live stock producer of Eureka, Ill.; W. B. Tagg, Omaha, of the National Live Stock Exchange; Fred H. Moore, Rochester, Ind., of the National Swine Growers Association, and Mr. Pollock.

"Every effort has been made to obtain all the slogan suggestions possible and we feel certain that the one selected is most acceptable to all interests of our great national industry," said the Board's Managing Director. "The slogan selected first won favor last June when 'Meat for Health' week was observed throughout the nation."

## FIRST BOTTLE OF TANLAC BROUGHT HER RELIEF

**Austin Lady Says She Noticed Improvement From Very First.**

"After all Tanlac has done for me I could not do otherwise than praise it," is the appreciative statement of Mrs. R. R. Slack, highly esteemed resident of 305 East 3rd St., Austin, Texas.

"My experience with Tanlac began four years ago. At that time I was suffering from indigestion so bad I could hardly endure it. I was troubled with gas, heartburn, dizzy spells and, in fact, about all the disagreeable symptoms that come from

a disordered stomach. I only weighed 97 lbs., and was so thin, weak and nervous that life was miserable.

"My very first bottle of Tanlac brought good results and six or seven bottles corrected all my troubles and left me feeling fine. Again, following an attack of the Flu, in March of this year, I resorted to Tanlac and the Tanlac Pills, and they soon had me feeling all right again. Tanlac gives me a good appetite, steadies my nerves, brings refreshing sleep, and keeps my whole system in fine condition. Tanlac and the Tanlac Pills have done for me what nothing else would and my gratitude is unbounded."

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### CARD OF THANKS

We, the members of the Missionary Baptist Church of Union, beg to extend our sympathy to the bereaved husband and children of Sister Ada Justice that God in His wisdom saw fit to call home to dwell with Him and her loved ones that had gone on before. May the taking away of this loved one help us to live a better life and be prepared when God calls to meet her where there will be no more parting.

The Committee:  
Mrs. Vertie Prather.  
Mrs. Maudie Blakely.  
Mrs. Angie Pemberton.

### TAX-EXEMPT SECURITIES

In his first message to Congress, President Coolidge said: "Another reform which is urgent in our fiscal system is abolition of right to issue tax-exempt securities. The existing system not only permits a large amount of the wealth of the nation to escape its just burden, but acts as a continual stimulant to municipal extravagance."

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## NOTICE

The 21st of this month we started operating the cars that run from Sweetwater to Snyder. The line is now under new management and will be known as the "Bates Red Ball Stage Line." We are going to try and give the people the very best of service at a price just as small as we can operate for. You will find the drivers to be gentlemen and very courteous and careful.

Car No. 1 leaves Sweetwater at 7 a. m., arriving at Snyder at 9 a. m. This car meets the T. & P. train No. 5 from Fort Worth.

Car No. 1 leaves Snyder at 1 P. M.  
Car No. 1 connects at Sweetwater with the Roby and Rotan car, which leaves Sweetwater at 4 p. m., connecting at Rotan with the east bound M. K. & T.

Car No. 1 connects at Roscoe with the Colorado car. We arrive in Roscoe at 2:40 p. m. The Colorado car arrives Roscoe at 4:20 p. m.

Car No. 1 connects with the Abilene cars which leave Sweetwater at 4 and 6:15 p. m. The Abilene car that leaves Sweetwater at 4 p. m. connects at Abilene with the north bound Wichita Valley.

Car No. 2 leaves Sweetwater at 3:30, after the arrival of the Rotan, Abilene and Colorado cars.

Car No. 2 leaves Snyder at 7 p. m.

This car makes connection with east bound T. & P. train

No. 6. These cars will be run on time as near as possible.

We also have cab service in Sweetwater.

We leave from the Hotel Wright at Sweetwater, the Manhattan Hotel, Snyder.

Headquarters Sweetwater is The Rea Cab Co., Hotel Wright Building, Phone 700. Snyder Phone 186. Phone us your number and we will call for you. Our fare is \$2.00.

We will appreciate your patronage.

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THREE  
BIG  
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SATURDAY  
MONDAY  
TUESDAY

Saturday--Monday--Tuesday  
June 7, 9, 10

## Bargains for All the Family

Red Seal Gingham, 4 yds.	\$1.00
36-in. Bungalow Cretonne, 4 yds.	\$1.00
B-B Cheviot, 4 yds.	\$1.00
36-in. Printed Voiles, 35c grade, 4 yds.	\$1.00
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LUKO Silk Hose, all colors, per pair	\$1.00
Good Cotton Hose for Ladies, black, white, tan, 6 pair	\$1.00
God Mercerized Hose, black, white, tan, 3 pr.	\$1.00
Ladies' Knit Unions, 65c grade, 2 pair for	\$1.00
Ladies' House Shoes, all colors, per pair	\$1.00
Bear Brand Ribbed Hose, 3 pair for	\$1.00
Men's Mercerized Hose, all colors, 3 pair for	\$1.00
Men's Silk Hose, good grade, 2 pair for	\$1.00
Men's Cotton Work Sox, all colors, 10 pair	\$1.00
Men's 65c-75c belts, 2 for	\$1.00
Men's Hose Supporters, wide weave, good 40c grade, 4 for	\$1.00
Men's \$1.10 and \$1.25 Work Shirts, each	\$1.00
Men's Hanes Athletic Unions, per pair	\$1.00
Busby Muleskin Glove, pair	\$1.00
Ladies' Tennis Oxfords and Pumps, pair	\$1.00
Men's and Boys' Straw Hats, 65c grade, 2 for	\$1.00
Men's 10c Handkerchiefs, 14 for	\$1.00
One lot Unionalls, size 2 to 8, for	\$1.00
Large Turkish Towels, 65c grade, 2 for	\$1.00
Ladies 10c grade Handkerchiefs, 20 for	\$1.00
\$1.50 Grade Ladies' Silk Hose, tan only, pair	\$1.00
C. M. C. Thread, all colors, 15 spools for	\$1.00
Child's Hickory Waists, 65c grade, 2 for	\$1.00
Bobbed Hair Combs, shell gold, 75c grade, 2 for	\$1.00
Randolph's Cutie Hose, 45c grade, in blue and yellow, 4 pair for	\$1.00
6 and 8 Cup Percolators, choice	\$1.00
5 Cakes Woodbury's Soap for	\$1.00
Good Grade Scissors, 2 for	\$1.00
Jocho Nainsook, in pink, blue and maize, 65c grade, 2 yards for	\$1.00

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Precinct	7.50
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HARRY TOM KING  
(Abilene, Texas)  
B. L. RUSSELL  
(Of Callahan County)
- For Representative 118th District:  
JOE MERRITT
- For County Judge:  
HORACE HOLLEY
- For District Clerk:  
(MISS) JEAN GRIGGS
- For County Clerk:  
MRS. KATE COTTEN  
A. M. McPPHERSON  
MRS. ENDA B. TINKER
- For County Attorney:  
C. F. SENTELL
- For County Treasurer:  
MISS IDA KELLY
- For Sheriff and Tax Collector:  
L. T. CONDR  
J. H. BYRD
- For Tax Assessor:  
STEWART WOMACK
- County Superintendent:  
A. A. BULLOCK  
ANNIE L. HULL
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FRANK BROWNFIELD  
W. W. MERRITT  
JACK BOWLING  
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- Justice Peace, Precinct No. 1:  
J. Z. NOBLES
- Commissioner Precinct 3:  
CHARLES M. WELLBORN  
LEE GRANT  
J. W. HANEY
- For Commissioner Precinct No. 2:  
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J. M. HUNNICUTT
- For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 2:  
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G. M. HANBACK
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- For Public Weigher, Prec. No. 13:  
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J. H. JEAN (Re-election)
- For Commissioner Precinct No. 4:  
J. R. COKER.  
W. W. EARLY
- For Justice Peace, Precinct No. 2:  
J. M. HUNNICUTT

Read Times-Signal Classified Ads.

### GRAND JURY MAKES FINAL REPORT

Snyder, Texas, May 30th, 1924.  
Hon. W. P. Leslie,  
Judge of District Court of Scurry County.

Sir:  
We, your Grand Jury, empaneled on the 26th day of May, have made a careful investigation of violations of the law reported to us and are glad to report that we have found very few violations. We have been

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General Medicine
- Anne D. Logan, R. N.

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in session five days and have examined many witnesses and have returned 8 felony and 4 misdemeanor indictments.

We find that there exists among our citizens a healthier sentiment for the enforcement of our laws than existed twelve months ago but there is still room for improvement and we desire to make the following recommendation to our officers and citizens:

1. All over the County, the city and as well rural communities, there is an abuse of the traffic laws. Our citizens seem to think that it is all right to disobey same. We notice when those same fellows go to Dallas or Tarrant counties where they have motor cops that they slow down as soon as they enter these counties. When they reach the limits of the cities of Fort Worth and Dallas they are very careful not to exceed the speed limit and to observe every traffic regulation. We want to say that if a few fines are assessed against those who fail to observe such laws that we will soon have a citizenship that will respect our traffic laws. We are glad to say that a great many of our citizens and that our officers try to cooperate in the enforcement of such laws but those who will not obey the law because it is right should be punished when they disobey, even in the disobedience to our

traffic laws.  
2. We have had to investigate several very sad cases involving young girls under the age of eighteen years, some of them under the age of fifteen years and in every case the Grand Jury was forced to the conclusions that if the mothers and fathers had been looking after their girls that the matter would never have been brought to the attention of the Grand Jury.

Promiscuous automobile rides and petting parties are not conducive to good morals for girls, old or young. Our roads are lined with automobiles every night and young boys and girls are guilty of conduct that their mothers and fathers know nothing of. Many mothers and fathers always answer a warning of this kind by saying that my boy or my girl would

not be guilty of misconduct. You do not know for the reason you don't know just what kind of company your boy or girl is keeping therefore we call upon you to be sure you know where your boys and girls are and what they are doing.

Some of the things learned by this Grand Jury are alarming and move us to give this warning to the mothers and fathers of Scurry County.

Respectfully submitted,  
J. G. Lockhart.  
H. M. Murphy.  
W. A. Louder.  
J. F. Crowder.  
J. G. Landrum.  
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E. D. Holdren.  
J. D. Isaacs.  
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Song—"Yield Not to Temptation."  
Prayer.  
Song.  
Business and Records.  
Scripture reading, Eph. 6:1-18—  
Davis Shaw.  
Subject, "The Manners of a Christian."  
Introduction: Different Kinds of Manners—Arthur Duff.  
Why We Should Consider Our Manners—Polly Porter.  
What Constitutes Good Manners in a Christian—Carroll Baker.  
Results If Our Manners Are Bad—Mrs. W. L. Wren.  
Poem: "My Evening Prayer"—Pauline Jones.  
Discussion: "Some acts that Strike Me as Good Manners."  
Leader's Ten Minutes.  
Sword Drill.  
Closing Song and Prayer.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this method of thanking the many good people of Fluvanna and Snyder for the aid and kindness given us during the sickness and death of our dear husband, father, son and brother, and especially do we thank the W. O. W. of Fluvanna and also the kind doctor who was so faithful to the end. We also thank the good friends for the beautiful floral offering.  
May you all be richly rewarded is our prayer.  
Mrs. W. W. Seabourn and children.  
Mr. W. B. Seabourn and children.  
Mrs. David Knox left Tuesday for Coleman on a visit to her mother, Mrs. McMahan.  
Pat Johnson has been very sick for the past week and has been unable to be at his place of business.

**Baptist Campaign Has Put \$4,000,000 Into Care of South's Orphan Children**

**Benevolent Phases of Forward Movement Are Set Out In General Statement From Headquarters—Hospitals and Ministerial Relief Greatly Extended.**



A Group of Happy Homeless Boys Provided for in a Baptist Orphanage.

Of the \$48,500,000 that has been collected in cash on the Baptist 75 Million Campaign to January 1, 1924, the sum of \$7,792,831.53 has gone to such benevolent work as caring for orphan children, healing the sick and ministering to aged, worn-out preachers. It is announced by the headquarters of the Campaign.

**\$4,000,000 Went to Orphanages.**  
More than half of the benevolent fund, or \$3,999,192.63, has gone to the 21 Baptist orphanages of the South, two of which have been established as a result of this movement and all of which have been greatly helped by this forward program. Nearly 4,000 orphan boys and girls are being housed, fed, clothed, educated and trained for Christian citizenship in these orphanages and the Campaign has put between \$300,000 and \$800,000 into the maintenance of these institutions each year. The orphanages are now caring for more children than their normal capacities permit, but despite this extra effort the institutions have been compelled to turn down the applications of 2,000 other orphan boys and girls, simply because there was no room for them.

**Sick and Suffering Aided.**  
Large advance has been made in the ministry of Southern Baptists to the sick and suffering during the four years of the Campaign. At the time this movement was inaugurated Southern Baptists were operating twelve hospitals. The number now in operation has grown to 22, six others are practically completed and ready for service, while two more have been projected. At the time the Campaign began the value of Southern Baptist hospital property

was \$2,227,000, while today it has grown to approximately \$9,000,000 among the institutions already in operation. The number of hospital beds has increased from 1,623 to 3,000.

During the four years of the Campaign a total of 170,000 patients have been treated in these hospitals. Approximately \$1,000,000 worth of charity service has been performed there for needy but deserving persons.

**925 Old Preachers Helped.**  
Into the work of ministerial relief the Campaign has put the sum of \$1,440,133.31. More than \$500,000 has been put into supplying the needs of aged and dependent ministers and their families. This, representing the efforts of four years, is far more than Southern Baptists had ever done for old preachers in all their history prior to the launching of this forward movement. At the same time the Relief and Annuity Board has gathered an interest-bearing endowment and sinking fund for relief alone of more than \$450,000, and has gathered for its annuity work an interest-bearing endowment and sinking fund of more than \$1,100,000. Today 925 beneficiaries are carried on the rolls of the Relief and Annuity Board.

An effort is being made to bring the 75 Million Campaign to a successful completion during 1924, it is announced by the headquarters office, and forces are at work in every state in the territory of the Southern Baptist Convention with a view to enlisting the churches in the immediate discharge of the task they assumed in this five-year movement.

NOTICE

All parties owning dogs in Snyder must pay a tax by June 15th. After that date I will begin killing all dogs that do not wear a dog tax tag. Call at the County Clerk's office and pay your dog tax at once.  
J. E. CHINN,  
City Marshal.

Misses Gertrude and Hattie Herm left Tuesday for Canyon where they will attend the summer term of the Canyon Normal.

Miss Naomi Strayhorn, student of Simmons College for the past term, returned home Tuesday morning and will spend her summer vacation here visiting with her parents.

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